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FOR GARRISON FROM MATLOCK

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: OFFICIAL - INFORMAL

1. WE HAVE HEARD FROM DEPUTY CYO CHAIRMAN FILIPPOV THAT THE NEXT ACYPL DELEGATION WILL ARRIVE IN MOSCOW SHORTLY AFTER THE U.S. ELECTIONS. WE ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT A SEMINAR IN MINSK IS PLANNED. CAN YOU CONFIRM THIS? WE WOULD APPRECIATE A FILL-IN ON THE TENTATIVE PROGRAM AND THE COMPOSITION OF THE DELEGATION. BASED ON PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE, WE THINK IT WOULD BE WISE TO SCHEDULE AN EMBASSY BRIEFING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER THE GROUP'S ARRIVAL IN MOSCOW. JOHN FORD WILL BE HANDLING THE VISIT AT THIS END. WE UNDERSTAND SPENCER OLIVER IS NOW WITH THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMISSION MONITORING CSCE COMPLIANCE AND WONDER WHO HAS REPLACED HIM AT ACYPL.

2. RE PARA 4, STATE 258005, ASSUME INTERESTED AMERICAN IS ROMAN JAKOBSON. CHANNEL SEEMS RATHER CONTORTED, BUT WE'LL TRY TO ARRANGE.

3. DO NOT YET HAVE CABLE REFERRED TO IN PARA 10, STATE 258005.

4. ON SOVIET REPLY ON TIMING COMMERCIAL JC, WE DOUBT SOVIETS WILL TELL US ANYTHING MORE THAN THEY ALREADY  
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HAVE. I ASSUME, HOWEVER, THAT FOLLOWING FACTORS PLAYED

ROLE: A. LACK OF ANY BURNING ISSUES WHICH CAN BE USEFULLY  
ADDRESSED AT THIS TIME; B. OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH MANY  
OF SAME PERSONS HERE IN SIX WEEKS; C. LIKELIHOOD THAT  
SOME OF PERSONS INVOLVED ON OUR SIDE WILL BE REPLACED SOON;  
D. CONTINUED PIQUE OVER OUR CANCELLATIONS LAST SPRING;  
AND E. GENUINE PROBLEMS OVER SCHEDULING PATOLICHEV, WHICH  
PRESUMABLY COULD HAVE BEEN OVERCOME IF OTHER FACTORS WERE  
NOT PRESENT, BUT IN LIGHT OF THEM MOTIVATION TO MAKE  
SPECIAL EFFORT TO ADJUST HIS CALENDAR TO SUGGESTED  
DATES WAS PROBABLY MINIMAL.  
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